COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1924/76

of 3 August 1976

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1500/76 on the granting of private storage aid for beef at a standard rate fixed in advance

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 568/76 (2), and in particular Article 6 (5) (b) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1500/76 of 25 June 1976 on the granting of private storage aid for beef at a standard rate fixed in advance (3), fixed the amounts of private storage aid for carcases, half carcases and 'compensated quarters', fresh or chilled, and for forequarters, fresh or chilled from certain categories of adult bovine animals for storage periods of four to six months;

Whereas the likely seasonal trend of prices for forequarters, fresh or chilled, from adult bovine animals now makes it possible for the conclusion of contracts involving these products to be ended; whereas applications for contracts involving carcases, half-carcases and 'compensated quarters' should only be granted if they provide for storage periods of six months so that supplies may be better staggered on the market when all contractual obligations have been fulfilled;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Beef and Veal,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

There are hereby added to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1500/76 the following paragraphs 3 and 4:

'3. In the case of private storage of the carcases, half-carcases and "compensated quarters" referred to in the Annex under (a) and (b) for periods of less than six months, only those applications which are lodged with the competent intervention agency before 1 p.m. on 16 August 1976 shall be granted.

4. In the case of private storage of the forequarters referred to in the Annex under (c), only those applications which are lodged with the competent intervention agency before 1 p.m. on 16 August 1976 shall be granted.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 3 August 1976.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
(2) OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 28.
(3) OJ No L 167, 26. 6. 1976, p. 31.